UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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Case No. 03-cr-10368-RCL

JOINT STATUS REPORT CONCERNING LOCAL RULE 116.5(C)

The parties respectfully submit this joint status report concerning the issues raised by Local Rule 116.5(C) in anticipation of the May 5, 2004 final status conference in this case:

- 1. There are no outstanding discovery issues other than those that need to be provided by the government 21 days or fewer before trial.
- 2. The parties do not anticipate any other discovery relating to the future receipt of information, documents or reports of examinations.
 - 3. The defendant does not intend to raise a defense of insanity or public authority.
 - 4. The government has not requested notice of alibi from the defendant.
- 5. The defendant has filed a motion to dismiss requiring a ruling by the District Court before trial.
- 6. The parties have not yet determined whether this case will be resolved through a change of plea.
 - 7. The parties request that the Court exclude the period from the May 5, 2004 status

conference through the date next scheduled in this matter under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(F).

8. The government will need three trial days to present its case in chief should this matter proceed to trial.

Respectfully Submitted,

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